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Amendments to the Drawings

The attached sheet of drawing includes changes to Figures 3 and 5. This replaces original sheet 3. Figures 3 and 5 originally omitted element 84 which is the first end of the second cylindrical body 64. Number 84 has been circled in the annotated sheet.

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Remarks

Figures 3 and 5 of the drawing have been amended to clearly identify end 84 of the second cylindrical body 64.

The specification has been amended to identify the patent application 10/307,791 as now U.S. patent 6,732,518, various number and grammar corrections and separate paragraph [0041] into three separate paragraphs. No new matter has been added.

Claims 1-15 have been amended to overcome the rejection under 35 USC 112 by providing a proper antecedent basis for the elements set forth therein. The amendments are all in accordance with the suggestions set forth in the office action. In particular the annular projection (72) is not defined in claim 5 as having an entry surface 72a and a cylindrical surface 72a while rib (70) is identified as being adjacent the second end (81b). In claim 8 the annular spacer (91) is defined as functioning to align the second stepped axial bore with the third diameter during a period of rest to permit open communication. In claim 9 the second sleeve (89) and its flange (90) are recited as being located in the second cylindrical body (64) between the first flange 94 on the actuator piston (92) and shoulder (64a) on the second cylindrical body (64).

The claims as now amended place this application in condition for allowance for which applicant requests a speedy response.

Should the examiner have any concerns with respect to the amendment applicant would appreciate a telephone call to discuss such concerns.

Respectfully Submitted

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